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Cc: Hauptman, Mel[Hauptman.Mel@epa.gov]; Cozzy, Robert (DEC)[robert.cozzy@dec.ny.gov]
From: Desir, James
Sent: Tue 1/26/2016 7:54:45 PM
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

Rick,

We're looking at the week of February 1st.

From: Leone, Ricky (DEC) [mailto:ricky.leone@dec.ny.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, January 26, 2016 1:37 PM
To: Desir, James <Desir.James@epa.gov>
Cc: Hauptman, Mel <Hauptman.Mel@epa.gov>; Cozzy, Robert (DEC) <robert.cozzy@dec.ny.gov>
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

We're getting the Region 4 files together. We have both paper and electronic files. When do you expect to be here?

From: Cozzy, Robert (DEC)
Sent: Tuesday, January 26, 2016 12:53 PM
To: Desir, James
Cc: Hauptman, Mel; Leone, Ricky (DEC)
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

James,

I have cc'd Rick Leone on this email so you should be able to respond to him using that email address.

Bob

From: Desir, James [mailto:Desir.James@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, January 26, 2016 9:05 AM
To: Cozzy, Robert (DEC)
Cc: Hauptman, Mel
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

Bob,

I'm ok with that, as well as bringing a thumb drive/external hard drive.

By the way, I left Rick a voice message and an email last week and the email bounce back as an "undeliverable email address", can you provide me with Rick's email address.

Thank you

James

From: Cozzy, Robert (DEC) [<mailto:robert.cozzy@dec.ny.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, January 26, 2016 8:39 AM
To: Desir, James <Desir.James@epa.gov>
Cc: Hauptman, Mel <Hauptman.Mel@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

James,

Instead of sending you all our electronic files, we thought it would be better for EPA/Weston to look at what we have electronically (for example, years and years of water discharge data that did not analyze for PFOA) and then decide what is useful to EPA. I suggest whoever comes could easily copy the electronic files they need onto a thumb drive.

So far, the paper files at DEC Albany are likely to be less than two boxes. I don't know what

DEC Schenectady has or DOH (I presume EPA contacted DOH directly, since DOH has not gotten back to me with a contact person).

Bob

From: Desir, James [<mailto:Desir.James@epa.gov>]
Sent: Tuesday, January 26, 2016 8:04 AM
To: Cozzy, Robert (DEC)
Cc: Hauptman, Mel
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

Bob,

Yes let us know when the Solid Waste files are available for review. I also would like to know if any of these files are available in electronic format?

if so, can you have someone from that office send them directly to me or perhaps DEC can set up a ftp file sharing site?

As for the electronic records in the Water Division, can you send that to me. I'm not sure how big these files are? Perhaps these files can burn into a compact disk or DVD?

Our contractor/consultant are looking at the week of February 1st for reviewing the DEC files, as well as making possibly making copies.

Any idea how large these files (hard copies) are (*Solid waste, Division of water, etc*) in terms of # of boxes? I'm trying to determine if we need to send more than 1 WESTON personnel up there.

Thanks

James

From: Cozzy, Robert (DEC) [<mailto:robert.cozzy@dec.ny.gov>]
Sent: Monday, January 25, 2016 11:23 AM
To: Hauptman, Mel <Hauptman.Mel@epa.gov>
Cc: Desir, James <Desir.James@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Hoosick Falls

Mel/James,

I am coordinating the file review for DEC's Albany office and I expect to have files from our Solid Waste people (for the LF) by Jan 27th. I also have files for my division and will get files from our Division of Water very soon.

Do you want me to let you know when Solid Waste has their files available before you send someone here to review all our files? They requested their files from Archives and were given Wed as the target date for delivery.

DEC's Water folks have a relatively small paper file, but a lot of records electronically, which may not be pertinent but you may want to take a quick look at.

Let me know if you/your consultant are trying to get here this week to see these files, and whether you want to wait to see if Solid Waste has their file ready on Wednesday.

My division has some files here, less than a foot of paper.

Bob

From: Hauptman, Mel [<mailto:Hauptman.Mel@epa.gov>]

Sent: Wednesday, January 20, 2016 4:49 PM
To: Cozzy, Robert (DEC)
Cc: Desir, James
Subject: Hoosick Falls

Bob, as you know, your Commissioner sent EPA a letter asking the St. Gobain facility be nominated to the NPL.

We need to have access to copy all the DEC files for Hoosick Falls, including any information DEC may have on all the industrial facilities in Hoosick Falls DEC including the St. Gobain facility on McCaffrey Street. We also need access to all the DOH files about the Village of Hoosick Falls public water supply facility, in particular the construction details for the three wells and their pumping history.

As we have done in prior situations, we would send our EPA contractor, Weston Solutions to Albany to copy these files.

Can you tell me who at DEC and at DOH has the files I am requesting along with their phone numbers. Also please call these people and inform them of our efforts.

I will be away till next Monday. Mr. James Desir is my person on this effort and he can be reached at 212-637-4342.

Mel